

RCRA SITE VISIT SCREENING CHECKLIST

Site Visited by: Jim Lynch, AARP/SEE on: 4/18/95 (DATE OF VISIT)

EPA RCRA ID #: LA 0000109827

Facility: B-Tac Recycling Inc

Facility Address: 8243 NE 13 St.

Des Moines, IA 50313

Phone (515) 244-7357

Letters, RCRIS Report and Brochures given to: Juan Stitzell
Office Manager (NAME AND TITLE/JOB DESCRIPTION)

1) Facility description Recovers Mercury + Ballasts from fluorescent lamps.

2) What Chemical and/or Industrial Waste (CIW) streams are generated? (LIST NAME/TYPE, APPROX. AMOUNT GENERATED/MONTH, FINAL DISPOSITION/HOW DISPOSED) Mercury, about 3 drums/mo to Bethlehem Apparatus Company - Wellstown PA
Ballasts about 7 drums/mo

3) Does the facility classify any of their CIW's as hazardous waste (HW)? No ☐ Yes ☒ (SPECIFY WHICH): Mercury + PCBs

4) Does the facility conduct any of the following on-site activities: Treatment/Recycling/Burning/Open Dumping /Landfills/Surface Impoundments? Describe: no

5) Are CIW/HW stored on-site? Yes ☒ No ☐
Describe (material, approximate quantity, storage method): Until pickup about 1 mo to 1 1/2 months.

6) Describe condition of storage containers/tanks (open, damaged, unlabeled, leaking, etc.): Storage area + Containers appear to be in good condition.

7) Are incompatible stored together (acids, bases, solvents, cyanides)? Yes ☐ No ☒ Describe:

8) Are there any signs of past spills/releases (dead or stressed vegetation, ground discoloration, stains)? Yes ☐ No ☒
Describe

9) Do any of the on-site Chemical and/or CIW/HW management practices concern you? Yes ☐ No ☒ Describe:

10) Recommendations and/or Additional Observations: none



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RCRA Records Center

SOP No. 2110.3A

GPS FIELD SHEET

Name: A-Tec Recycling Inc. Date: 4/18/95

Accuracy required: _____

Time: _____ CST ☒ CDT _____ MST _____ MDT

Time observation began 1850 Time observation ended 1855
hr/min hr/min

Antenna Height: 3 slope distances using measuring rod (100 centimeters = 1 meter)

1.72 m.

Average slope distance from above measurements: _____ meters

Receiver EPA No.: LA0000109827

File Name: LAR41082.PSE

Verbal Description of weather: overcast with wind

Temp. of 54°F

Obstructions (building, electric poles, etc.): none

Verbal Description of point (site name, state, city, county, and associated sample numbers, etc.):

A-Tec Recycling Inc.,
Iowa, Des Moines, Polk. GPS taken about
30ft west of entrance to Bldg.

Deviations from SOP: GPS Reading after 2nd Day.

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE

Facility Name <i>A-Tec Recycling Inc.</i>	
Facility Address <i>5745 NE 17th Des Moines, IA 50313</i>	
Inspector (print) <i>James L. Lynch</i>	Title <i>Scientist/Eng. Ass't</i>
U.S. EPA, Region VII, RCRA/IOWA, 726 Minnesota, Kansas City, KS 66101 <i>Rm 518 B 2109 Walnut St., Des Moines, IA 50309-2108</i>	
Date <i>4-18-95</i>	

It is possible that the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will receive public requests for release of the information obtained during inspection of the facility above. Such requests will be handled by EPA in accordance with provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552; EPA regulations issued thereunder, 40 CFR Part 2; and the applicable statute under which the information is obtained. EPA is required to make inspection data available in response to FOIA requests, unless the Agency determines that the data contains information entitled to confidential treatment.

Any or all of the information collected by EPA during the inspection may be claimed confidential, if it relates to trade secrets or commercial or financial matters that you consider to be confidential. If you make claims of confidentiality, EPA will disclose the information only to the extent, and by the means of the procedures set forth in the regulations (cited above) governing EPA's treatment of confidential information.

To claim information confidential, you must certify that each claimed item meets all of the following criteria (40 CFR 2.208):

1. Your company has taken measures to protect the confidentiality of the information, and it intends to continue to take such measures.
2. The information is not, and has not been, reasonably obtained without your company's consent by other persons (other than governmental bodies) by use of legitimate means (other than discovery based on showing special need in a judicial or quasi-judicial proceeding).
3. The information is not publicly available elsewhere.
4. Disclosure of the information would cause substantial harm to your company's competitive position.

In addition, within fifteen (15) calendar days of the claim, you must provide written comments in support of the claim, based on factors listed in 40 CFR 2.204(e)(4). This statement should be mailed by registered, return-receipt requested mail to the Inspector at the address listed above. Failure to submit comments by this deadline will be deemed a waiver of the claim pursuant to 40 CFR 2.205(d)(1).

At the completion of the inspection, you will be given a receipt for all materials collected. At that time you may make claims that some or all of the information is confidential and meets the criteria listed above.

U.S.EPA INSPECTION CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE (cont.)

Facility Name	<i>A-Tec Recycling Inc.</i>
Facility Address	<i>3745 NR 17 ST Des Moines, IA 50313</i>

If you are not authorized by your company and there is no one on the premises of the facility who is authorized to make confidentiality claims, this notice will be sent by certified mail, along with the receipt for documents, samples, and other materials, to the authorized representative designated below.

Authorized Representative _____
 Title _____
 Address _____

If the authorized representative listed above requests confidential treatment, they must return a statement specifying any information which should receive confidential treatment and written comments in support of the claim based on factors listed in 40 CFR 2.204(e)(4).

This statement from the authorized representative should be mailed by registered, return-receipt requested mail within fifteen (15) calendar days of receipt of the Confidentiality Notice to the Inspector at the address listed on page 1.

Failure to submit confidentiality claims and comments within the fifteen (15) day period will be deemed a waiver of the claim pursuant to 40 CFR 2.205(d)(1).

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To be completed by the facility official receiving this Notice:

I have received and read this Notice.

Facility Representative Provided Notice (print)	Title
<i>SUSAN STITZEL</i>	<i>OFFICE MANAGER</i>
Signature/Date	
<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>4-18-95</i>

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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT

Facility Name	A-Tec Recycling Inc.
Facility Address	5745 NE 17 St. Des Moines, IA 50313

Information for which confidential treatment is requested:

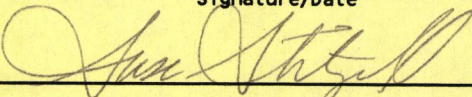
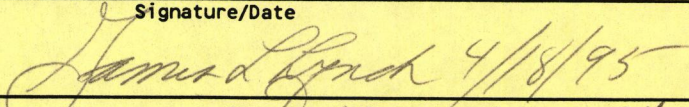
Acknowledgement of Claimant

The undersigned requests that confidential treatment of the information described be provided in accordance with provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552; EPA regulations issued thereunder, 40 CFR Part 2; and the applicable statute under which the information is obtained. The undersigned further acknowledges that they are authorized to make such claims for their firm.

The undersigned also certifies that each claimed item described above meets all of the following criteria (40 CFR 2.208):

1. Your company has taken measures to protect the confidentiality of the information, and it intends to continue to take such measures.
2. The information is not, and has not been, reasonably obtained without your company's consent by other persons (other than governmental bodies) by use of legitimate means (other than discovery based on showing of special need in a judicial or quasi-judicial proceeding).
3. The information is not publicly available elsewhere.
4. Disclosure of the information would cause substantial harm to your company's competitive position.

In addition, within 15 days of your claim, you must provide written comments in support of the claim, based on factors listed in 40 CFR 2.204(e)(4). Failure to submit comments by this deadline will be deemed a waiver of the claim pursuant to 40 CFR 2.205(d)(1).

Authorized Representative (print)	Signature/Date
SUSAN STITZEL	 4-18-95
No confidential treatment claimed during the inspection: _____ (Facility Representative's initials)	
Inspector (print)	Signature/Date
James L. Lynch	 4/18/95
U.S. EPA, Region VII, RCRA/IOWA, 726 Minnesota, Kansas City, KS 66101 Des Moines, IA 50309-2108 Rm 518B, 210 Walnut St.	

RCRIS HANDLER INFORMATION REPORT

February 16, 1995

The information summarized below has been entered into EPA's RCRA Computer Data Base for the INSTALLATION LOCATION AND EPA RCRA Identification Number listed. If any of this information is inaccurate, you may notify us of the change(s) by writing to us, telephoning us, or by completing a Notification of Regulated Waste Activity Form (EPA Form 8700-12), a copy of which is attached, or simply marking any changes on this report and sending it to EPA at:

EPA REGION 7 - RCRA/IOWA
726 MINNESOTA AVENUE
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS 66101

Your cooperation in helping us to maintain accurate records is appreciated. If you have any questions, please call our Iowa RCRA Hazardous Waste Inquiry Helpline number (913) 551-7861, and leave a message. Someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

EPA RCRA ID Number: IA0000109827

Name of Company/Installation: A-TEC RECYCLING INC
Location of Installation: 5745 NE 17 ST
City/State/Zip: DES MOINES, IA 50313
County: POLK

Mailing Address: PO BOX 7391
City/State/Zip: DES MOINES, IA 50309


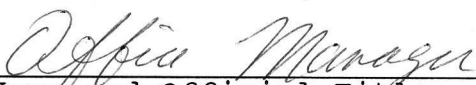
Installation Contact: RONALD NEWMAN
Job Title: PRESIDENT
Phone Number: (515) 244-7357
Contact's Address: PO BOX 7391
City/State/Zip: DES MOINES, IA 50309

Current Owner of Installation: DES MOINES/WICHITA FALLS
Owner's Address: PO BOX 91210
ALBUQUERQUE, NM 871991210
Phone Number: (505) 345-8829

Land Type: Private
Owner Type: Private

TYPE(S) OF REGULATED ACTIVITY: ~~SMALL~~ ^{LARGE} QUANTITY GENERATOR PAPERWORK
TRANSPORTER SUBMITTED.

Hazardous Wastes Handled: D000, D009


Signature
Name and Official Title4-18-95
Date Signed

All information you submit in a notification can be released to the public, according to the Freedom of Information Act, unless it is determined to be confidential by U.S. EPA pursuant to 40 CFR Part 2. Since notification information is very general, the U.S. EPA believes it is unlikely that any information in your notification could qualify to be protected from release. However, you may make a claim of confidentiality by printing the word "CONFIDENTIAL" on both sides of the Notification Form and on any attachments or submittals including this information report. EPA will take action on the confidentiality claims in accordance with 40 CFR Part 2.

A-TEC RECYCLING INC.
5743 NE 5TH

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A-Tec Recycling Inc.
Des Moines, IA

4/18/95

Photo of the West entrance to the site
taken facing the bldg from the West.

James L. Lynch

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A-Tec Recycling Inc.
Des Moines, IA

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Photo of drums storing mercury.

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Photo of drums storing ballast.

James Lynch

#3



A-Tec Recycling Inc.
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Photo of drums collecting mercury and
ballasts in the process of crushing the
fluorescent lamps.

James R. Lynch

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